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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Claude RANOUX

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GROUP 338

PROCESS FOR INTRA-UTERINE
FERTILIZATION IN MAMMALS
AND DEVICE FOR IMPLEMENTATION
THEREOF

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R 312

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AMENDMENT UNDER RULE 312

Hon. Commissioner of Patents & Trademarks

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Under the provisions of Rule 312, please amend the
above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Amend claim 28 as follows:

--28. (thrice amended) Process of intra-uterine
fertilization in mammals comprising the following steps

a) providing a container of a size suitable for
introduction and lodging in the uterine cavity of a mammal and
having an exit area;

b) filling the container with culture medium, at
least one ovocyte of the mammal and spermatozoa;

c) introducing and lodging the filled container in
the uterine cavity;

d) leaving the container lodged in the uterine
cavity for a specific period of time to allow fertilization of
the at least one ovocyte therein; and

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